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To Our Readers.

Any neglect on the part of our Carriers to deliver the **STANDARD** *at the proper time and place will be promptly remedied on application at the Publication Office, next door to the Bank of British Columbia, Government Street.*

The Daily Standard.

Thursday, February 9, 1871.

Victoria and Montreal Railway Terminus on the Pacific.

We are glad to observe that a Member of the Executive has brought forward a resolution having regard to the claims of Victoria and Esquimalt in connection with the Terminus of the Victoria and Montreal Railway. The resolution is a counterpart of the resolutions that were unanimously passed at a public meeting just before the city election came off. These resolutions then expressed the wishes of this section of the country; and the proposition of Dr. Helmcken is merely to ask the Legislative Council to endorse the views of the Vancouver Island constituencies. So far as we can judge, there is nothing in the resolution that any Mainland Member can refuse to support. If it be found advisable to bring the railway to Burrard Inlet or Howes Sound, still no Mainland Member can offer a reasonable objection, to a branch line from Victoria to Nanaimo, with steamers to connect with the station on the Mainland. So far as we can construe the purport of the resolution, it simply asks that at the least a branch railway—or rather a link in the chain of overland railway communication—may be built on this Island. Considering our population, wealth, geographical position, but more particularly the necessity for insuring easy access to the country by sea, in case of war with the States or other foreign power, we cannot conceive how any Government, either our own or that of Canada, could act so unwise a part as to bring the transcontinental railway to a point on the Pacific where it might be rendered useless by a foreign power like the United States, in case of war. San Juan Island, if it should fall into the hands of the Americans, would forever threaten our communication by water with the interior. Sinking, then, the local, or what may be regarded as the sectional view of the matter, and looking upon the railway as a great defensive rather than a mere commercial undertaking, we do think that Esquimalt has claims that cannot be overlooked, either by our own people or those of Canada, or by Great Britain, and especially the latter, for on it devolves the responsibility for our defence. In a commercial point of view, the railway must have its terminus where it will be best suited to command the trade. It is said that the North Pacific Co. have accepted the offer of the people of Port Townsend to give them three-fourths of a tract of country extending five or six miles around that town, in case the railway be brought there. It is also said that the Pacific terminus will be on the Straits of Fuca instead of Puget Sound. Such being the case, it becomes the more important to have our terminus on the Straits of Fuca, instead of the Gulf of Georgia.

European Mail Summary.

By the arrival of the steamer Pacific, yesterday morning, we have European dates to the 24th January, from which we glean the following summary of news:

The Anglo-American Ambulance Corps, now under Dr. Pratt, still keeps up the high reputation which it gained at Sedan.

A rumor has just reached England that a Prussian courier was seized near the Belgian frontier, and that dispatches were found upon him which "most conclusively proved that the Court of Berlin is instigating America to insist upon the Alabama claims."

Mr. Chichester Fortescue has accepted the office of President of the Board of Trade, and the Marquis of Hartington that of Chief Secretary for Ireland. These changes have been occassioned by the resignation of Mr. Bright. Mr. Stansfield has been mentioned for the office of Postmaster-General.

Mr. Gladstone has got into disgrace with his constituents, and several of the Liberal electors of Greenwich have initiated a manifesto calling upon him to resign. His greatest fault, in the eyes of the electors, is that he has only visited them once since his election.

The sinking by Prussians of vessels sailing under the British flag, in the Seine, caused considerable excitement in England, and every sailor from Wapping to Gosport, was ready to avenge the outrage. It is not quite clear, however, that the outrage was intended.

The British Minister has addressed a note to the Greek Government, expressing regret that the inquiry into the late massacres should have resulted solely in the commital of the Host of all the accused persons of note.

The political condition of some parts of the West Indies seems to be very unsatisfactory. A large petition has been sent to the Colonial office, with regard to the arbitrary powers of the Governors.

During 1870 the House of Commons has lost eleven members through death, all of whom were Liberals. Last year the number was the same, in the proportion of seven Liberals to four Conservatives. The representatives of the people who have been thus removed in 1870 are—Mr. Briscoe, 78 years of age; Hon. F. H. F. Berkeley, 75; Mr. Kirk, 75; Mr. Corbally, 73; Mr. Gurdon Rebow, 71; Mr. C. Wykeham Martin, 69; Mr. Clement, 65; Serjeant Kinglake, 66; Mr. G. H. Moore, 89; Sir J. Simeon, 59; and Mr. E. Dennison, 30.

"There is much reason to apprehend," says the *Standard*, "that the year we have just gone through will be marked by a disastrous change in the firm and cordial relations which have hitherto existed between England and her colonies. There is a perceptible relaxation in the ties which formerly united them. In place of the close sympathy and mutual trust which once knit them together, there are too many signs of indifference on the one side and mistrust on the other. The colonists no longer look upon the mother country with the assurance of Imperial sympathy and protection, and the policy of the Home Government is too well calculated to produce the impression that they are regarded as an encumbrance of which England would gladly be rid. There was a time when she fought long and desperately to retain her sway over revolting dependencies. In these days it seems to be the main object of our Colonial Administration to force those which are conspicuously loyal to break away from their allegiance. Such is the conviction too generally entertained among our fellow-subjects in many of our most flourishing dependencies, and it is impossible to deny that they have ample grounds for forming such an opinion. Unless Englishmen are prepared to see their country reduced to the level of a third-rate Power, it is high time that they should speak out. This attempt to drive the colonies into separation is not an isolated blunder. It is part and parcel of a deliberate scheme which gives coherent force and meaning to the foreign, colonial and military policy of the present Government. England is proud of her colonies, and recognises in them one of the first elements of her grandeur as a European Power and of the commercial prosperity of the empire. As a nation, we most earnestly repudiate all sympathy with the cold and repliant attitude of the present Government towards them. The English people value and cherish the bond which unites the colonies with the mother country, and we are sanguine that no long time will elapse before a voice will go out to them from the British Parliament which will assure them that the policy of alienation has no sanction whatever from the country at large."

Experiments are to be made at Shoeburyness Hill in order to test the utility of Thomson's Road Steamer in drawing guns and other heavy loads up hill, over bad roads, or land where there is no road at all, with a view to its introduction into the Army Service Corps. One of the smaller engines has already been purchased, and is in use at the Royal Arsenal, which an instructor is daily employed teaching soldier artisans how to handle it.

Mr. Gladstone attained his sixty first birthday on December 29th. Mr. Disraeli reached his sixty-fifth year on December 31st.

The people at large pay very little attention to the European Conference. The matter of its assemblage or adjournment is scarcely mentioned in the great commercial centres.

Five of the released Fenian prisoners arrived in New York, by the Cuba, on Jan. 26th. Thirty-eight others, sentenced for periods of from five to twenty years, were on the way thereto, having left Queenstown Jan. 15th, by the Cunard steamer Russia. Great preparations were made in New York, and other cities of the United States, for their reception by their friends.

The health of His Holiness the Pope remains very good indeed. Pio Nono occupies a good portion of his time in the reception of the many visitors who wait on him from all parts of the outside world. The members of a numerous deputation from Belgium have had audience of His Holiness. They presented an address, accompanied by a Peter's Pence offering forwarded by the Catholics of the Kingdom of Belgium, for his acceptance.

Many other deputations from abroad—particularly from England and Holland—bearing addresses of condolence and encouragement and money tributes to the Holy Father, are expected to arrive in Rome immediately.

ROME, Jan. 24—The ambassadors of Austria and the North German Empire accredited to the Court of Italy—Baron de Kubeck, and Count de St. Simon—acting in compliance with special instructions which they have just received from their respective governments, have had audience of Cardinal Antonelli and enquired of his Eminence, in his capacity of Secretary of State to the Pope, if he would say what guarantees His Holiness would regard as sufficient to be given on the part of the Italian executive so as to remove the dissent which has been expressed by the Pontifical officers, civil and clerical, and of the Church generally, to the formal assumption of supreme power in Rome by his Majesty King Victor Emmanuel for Italy.

Cardinal Antonelli in his reply, which was delivered by order of the Pope after he had received the diplomatic message, stated:—

That the Court of Rome wished no guarantees from the great governments other than those which would complete a pure and simple restitution on the part of Italy of the territories which had been despoiled from the Church on the Neapolitan frontier and the line of the river Po.

That the Supreme Pontiff would not accept a plan of arrangement which was not based, clearly and unequivocally, on these conditions.

And so the relations between Italy and the Pope remain still under the rule of the *non possumus*, in so far as it is possible for the Holy Father to accomplish.

New Advertisements.

DALBY, WILSON & CO.

ST. NICHOLAS BUILDING,
GOVERNMENT STREET.
Manufacturers of

SADDLERY, HARNESS,

TRUNKS, VALISES & LEATHER.

They have received per steamer "PACIFIC," from San Francisco large additions to their already extensive Stock Consisting of

RIDING & DRIVING WHIPS,

Horse Clothing, Saddle Cloths, Breaking Bits, Stirrup, Leather Girths, &c.

Also a quantity of

SADDLERY HARDWARE

All of which they will sell Cheap for Cash.

☞ The highest market price given for Hides and Sheep Skins. fe9 3m

For San Francisco Direct.

☞ THE NORTH PACIFIC TRANSPORTATION Company's Steamship

PACIFIC,

STOTHARD.....Commander

Will leave Brodrick & Co Wharf for San Francisco direct, Saturday, Feb. 11th at 4 o'clock, p. m.

For Freight or passage apply to
fe9 R. BRODRICK, Agent.

Notice.

NOTICE TO MINERS AND OTHERS Requiring Machinery.

Dr. Carroll having stated in the Legislative Council that the Foundry in Victoria was not of sufficient capacity to manufacture the Machinery required by the Kurtz & Lane Co., and in order that the public may not be misled by such statements, and in justice to ourselves we have to state that our Foundry with the present Tools, can Manufacture Machinery of Ten Times the capacity of the Machinery imported by the Kurtz & Lane Co., and as Cheaply as it can be imported from San Francisco.

SPRATT & IRVING,
Albion Iron Works.

Cariboo *Sentinel* Copy, and send bill to STANDARD Office.
Victoria, B.C. ja27

ORIENTAL HOTEL,

YATES STREET,
Corner Oriental Alley, Victoria, V. I.

Wm McKeon & Chas. H. Trehart,
PROPRIETORS

THE LODGING APARTMENTS are as clean as can possibly be kept, and are handsomely furnished with Spring Mattresses, etc. The BAR is constantly supplied with the choicest brands of LIQUORS and CIGARS.

☞ BILLIARD ROOM ATTACHED ☜ 1y

Adelphi Saloon.

THIS ESTABLISHMENT, THE OLDEST and one of the best conducted in the city of Victoria, has been purchased by Mr. Patrick Murphy, whom the retiring proprietor recommends to the favor of the Public, and they may be assured that every accomodation will be afforded and sufficient attention paid to the Guests and customers.

ja28 PATRICK MURPHY.

Jay & Bales,

PIONEER SEEDSMEN AND NURSERYmen, Yates Street. 1y

New Advertisements.

Closing Out Sale

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Have been Instructed by

Mr. George Alep,

TO SELL BY

PUBLIC AUCTION,

Wednesday, Feb. 15,

AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.

On the Premises GOVERNMENT street next to the corner of Yates.

Stock in Trade of:

Pic Fruits, Jams, Jellies, Candies and Glass Jars, Sweet Oil, Vinegar, Sardines, Blacking, Mustard, Sauces, Candles, Tobacco, Pipes, Matches, Coal Oil, Lard, Butter, Sugar, Tea, Coffee, Paper, Soaps, Scales, Show Case, Nuts of every description, Raisins, Figs, Onions, Garlic Apples, Lemmons, Colabans, Fish Stand Blind, Fixtures, Etc.

TERMS CASH.

fe7 J. P. DAVIES, Auctioneer.

Court of Revision.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Court of Revision will hold its first sitting on Monday the Thirteenth day of February, instant, at 11 o'clock, A. M, at the City Council Chambers, Broad street where the Assessment Roll for 1871-2 may be inspected.

By order
WM. T. LEIGH, Jr.
Clerk of the Court

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 7th, 1871 fe7td.

Lecture.

MR. CADELL will Lecture in the Public Room of the St. George Hotel, View street, on Saturday evening 11th February at 7½ o'clock, Subject, "History and Statistics of Gold from the Days of King Solomon to the Discovery of Gold in California." Admission 50 cts. fe7

FRENCH BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

Founded in Victoria, B. C., 24 Feb. 1860

THE POSITION OF THE ABOVE SOciety at the end of 1870 as compared with the statement of 1869 is as follows:

1869.		1870.	
A House	$ 950 00	A House	$3,237 00
Land	275 00	Land	850 00
Furniture	425 00	Furniture	795 00
Mortgage	1000 00	In the Bank	177 16
B. C. Savings Bank	400 00		
In the Bank	289 93		
	$3,339 93		$5,059 16
Balance in favor of 1870			$1,719 23

The following Officers have been re-elected for the year 1870.

S. Driard, President; Jules Rueff, Vice President; John Kriemler, Treasurer; H. Passeraud, Secretary.

DIRECTORS:—Pierre Lisot, re-elected, John Vogel, re-elected, Lumley Franklin.

DR. POWELL, Medical Attendant.

THOMAS CHANVEAU, Attendant at the Hospital.

Any person may become a Member without distinction of Religion or Nationality.

Every Subscriber is admitted to the Hospital free of any charge whatsoever. Doctors treatment and attendance, with all the comforts of a home accorded to them.

Subscribers not wishing to enter the Hospital can consult the Doctor of the Society and get Medicines free of charge.

Every Member of the Society is entitled to call in the Doctor at his residence, at the reduced price of one dollar each visit. Medicines free of charge. fe7

McClure Street

DANCING ACADEMY.

GYMNASIUM HALL,
VIEW STREET.

Every Tuesday & Friday, Night.

A LONG AND PLEASANT EVENING Guaranteed to this class, as fresh and new arrangements have been made with a Band of Three Musicians.

The music will commence at eight o'clock precisely and continue till eleven. fe7

FOR PORTLAND.

☞ THE NORTH PACIFIC TRANSportation Company's steamship

California,

JOHN HAYES.....Commander.

Will leave Brodrick & Co.'s wharf for the above port on Wednesday morning at 7 o'clock.

For freight or passage apply to
fe7 R. BRODRICK, Agent.

ROBERTSON & FARR,

BLACKSMITHS,

Wagon & Carriage Builders.

Messrs. Robertson and Farr having leased the Shop on Johnson Street, next door to Bunster's Brewery, are prepared to do anything in the above line with neatness and dispatch. Particular attention given to horseshoeing and General Jobbing.

All orders from the Country promptly attended to. fe8 d&w

St. George Hotel,

TO BE LET FURNISHED, THIS WELL Known Family Hotel,

Apply to
R. BURNABY, Land Agent,
Government Street, Victoria. dec2 1m

For Sale Cheap.

A SPLENDID NEW HYDRAULIC PIPE WITH Two, 1 inch and 1½ inch Nozzles, will be sold cheap.

Apply at the
fe6 ADELPHI SALOON.

QUEEN'S HEAD HOTEL

Corner of CORMORANT AND STORE STREETS.

THIS HOTEL IS RE-OPENED AT Prices to suit the Times:

Single Meals	25cts
Board and Lodging per Day	$1 00
Board and lodging per Week	4 50
Board without Lodging	4 00

☞ TERMS CASH IN ADVANCE. ☜

JAMES NEWMAN,
fe6 3m Proprietor.

A. & W. WILSON,

SHIP AND HOUSE

PLUMBERS,

GASFITTERS,

BELL-HANGERS AND TINSMITHS.

FORT STREET NEAR BROAD,

VICTORIA, V. I.

☞ All orders promptly attended to. ☜ 1y

For Sale or Trade.

IN EXCHANGE FOR SPRING WHEAT Barley, and Peas, two fine active Young Horses, sound and well put up either together or separately.

Apply to
E. H. JACKSON,
ja18 2w d&w Cedar Hill.

New Advertisements.

Esquimalt Mail Service.

THE MAIL VAN WILL RUN AS FOLLOWS until further notice:—

Leave Esquimalt Post Office	Leave Victoria Post Office
At 10 o'clock, A. M.	At 11:30 o'clock, A. M.
At 1:30 o'clock, P. M.	At 4 o'clock, P. M.

☞ Every Day, Sundays Excepted. ☜

The van will call at the Colonial Hotel for Passengers and Packages. All Packages left at the Colonial Hotel for Esquimalt or the Fleet will be promptly delivered.

J. T. HOWARD,
Postmaster, Esquimalt.

Esquimalt, 3d February, 1871. fe6

FOR HONOLULU.

THE NEW SCHOONER

"CAMBRIA."

CAPTAIN.....MELDRUM.

Will have immediate despatch. For Particulars Apply to

J. ROBERTSON STEWART.
fe4 Wharf Street.

Homestead for Sale

FOR SALE, ON PANDORA STREET, THREE Full sized Town Lots, suitable for a Homestead.

Apply at
fe4 STANDARD OFFICE.

THE 14TH OF FEBRUARY,

VALENTINES

in Great Variety, to be had at

J. MOSS', - - - Fort Street

ja21 1m

To Farmers.

WANTED

100 Tons Potatoes,
50 Tons Wheat,

For which I will pay the highest Price in Cash.

J. RUEFF - - Wharf Street.

fe3 1m

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH CONCERT.

A CONCERT WILL BE GIVEN AT

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH,

BY THE CHOIR,

Kindly assisted by the

Members of Other Choirs

in the City, on

Thursday, February 9th, 1871

COMMENCING AT 7:30 O'CLOCK.

TICKETS of Admission $1 10 each, to be obtained from the Ladies of the Congregation and Church Managers. ja27

ST. CHARLES HOTEL

Corner Front & Morrison Streets.

JOHN J. JACOBS, PROPRIETOR,

PORTLAND, OREGON.

HAVING LEASED THIS NEW AND Elegant Hotel, which is built of Brick iron-bound, with Family and Single Rooms, Splendidly Furnished for one hundred and fifty Guests, and Supplied with all the modern improvements for their comfort with fine Ventilation, Baths, Gas, etc. The Proprietor trusts that the reputation won for the St. George Hotel in Victoria, B. C., while under his management will be a guarantee to his numerous friends and the public of his purpose and ability to make this House Justly Celebrated and worthy of patronage.

de7 3mdaw

For Sale.

A GOOD FARM CONTAING 200 ACRES with good dwelling house and outhouses thereon. It is a splendid stock range and well watered. The stock consisting of 30 head of horned cattle, three horses, hogs and chickens. Also, a farm wagon, nearly new, and all the necessary implements for farming purposes.

Apply at the
ja24 1m* STANDARD OFFICE

For Sale.

A FARM CONTAINING 200 ACRES. ABOUT 80 acres clear land of the richest land on the Island. The Proprietor leaving on account of not having capital to work the same beneficially. It is a good speculation for a man with capital. The advertiser has resided on the land 5 years.

ja17 Address "Y" Standard Office.

To Let or Lease.

WITH OR WITHOUT THE STOCK, the house and farm buildings with 8½ acres of excellent land, adjoining Mount Tolmie road near Victoria, lately occupied by N. M. Hicks deceased.

Apply on the premises
ja24 1m

Wanted.

A GIRL ABOUT 15 OR 17 TO ASSIST IN a small family.

Apply at the Third House from the French Hospital, on McClure Street. ja23

For Sale.

A LARGE YOKE OF WORK OXEN SIX years old, gentle and thoroughly broken.

Enquire at the
STANDARD OFFICE, or to STAFFORD & HICKIN.
ja26 1m

Notice.

BULL STRAYED.

STRAYED AND BROKEN INTO MY Premises, a two year old Bull, Dark Brindle color, no marks or brand. If not claimed within 10 days it will be sold at Auction to pay expenses.

A. ANDERSON,
ja28 d&w North Saanich.

Mr. Nathaniel Milby Hicks, Deceased

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS against the estate of the late Mr. Nathaniel Milby Hicks of Victoria and Kootenay, Merchant, are to send in the particulars of their claims, and all persons indebted to the said estate are to pay the amount of their debts to Mrs. Eliza F. Hicks, the widow and sole Executrix of the deceased. FRANKLYN & JOHNSON.

Victoria, Jan. 24th, 1871 Her Solicitors.
Mainland Guardian Copy
ja24 1m d&w

TO BE LET.

THAT FIRST-CLASS RESIDENCE ON James Bay, immediately fronting the Bridge.

For particulars apply to
ja4 1m J. G. NORRIS, Government Street.

DUCK & SANDOVER,

Coach, Waggon, AND PLOW MAKERS,

West Side of Government Street,
Between Johnson and Cormorant sts.

Repairs of all kinds kept constantly on hand.

Waggon Material for sale.

Horse-shoeing and General Blacksmithing done with neatness and dispatch.

Plows, harrows, etc., made to order.

All orders promptly attended to and satisfaction guaranteed.

Terms moderate. 1y daw

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

Gardener and Florist.

FRED. WATERS, PRACTICAL GARdener and Florist begs to inform the public that he is prepared to lay out Gardens, do Pruning, and Planting. Flower Gardens, Borders, and Patterns arranged with taste and dispatch. Work taken by the job or day.

Orders may be left at Messrs Mitchell & Johnston's Seed Store, Fort Street. ja5 1m

Notice

IN PURSUANCE OF THE PROVISIONS OF the "Land Registry Ordinance 1870." I shall issue a duplicate certificate of title to Lot 1021, Fort street, Victoria in the name of Sarah Wadron. Unless cause be shown to the contrary within one month from date hereof.

E. GRAHAM ALSTON,
Registrar General.
Land Registry Office, 11th October 1870. ja10

DR. T. J. MILLS BOWDEN,

DENTIST.

HAS PERMANENTLY LOCATED, AND may be found at his Office corner of Government and Bastion streets, Victoria

Hours from 9 a. m. until 4p. m. oc14

Notice.

IN PURSUANCE OF THE PROVISIONS of the "Land Registry Ordinance 1870" I will issue a duplicate certificate of title to a portion of Victoria 5 acre lot No. 111, Corner of Blanchard and Pioneer street, in the name of John Jeffery and Alfred Jeffery, unless cause be shown to the contrary within one month from the date hereof.

E. GRAHAM ALSTON, Registrar General
Land Registry Office, 18th Jan., 1871. ja19 1m

SCHOOL FOR BOYS.

ON MONDAY THE 30th JANUARY A School will be opened in the building on Yates streets, at the old Bull's Head Tavern. The Teacher has had three years experience in the Public Schools of Nova Scotia and California, and is capable of teaching Classics French and Mathematics.

A. MEACHEN,
Victoria, Jan. 24, 1871 Master of Arts. ja24

MOUNTAINEER SALOON.

Corner of CORMORANT and STORE Streets, Victoria, V. I.

THE BEST WINES LIQUORS and Cigars always on hand.

THREE

BOTTLES OF BEER for 50 cents.

fe3 3m P. GILLIGAN.

Notice.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS Against the undersigned will please call at Frank Campbells, at the Adelphi Corner, previous to the 10th inst, and they will be promptly paid. Also all persons indebted will please call and pay their accounts.

PETER CARGOTICH
fe3

NOTICE.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRectors of the Lane & Kurtz Carriboo Mining Company, I am instructed to offer to the People of British Columbia the opportunity of subscribing to a Portion of the CAPITAL STOCK of said Company, at the rate of Twenty-Five dollars per Share.

Any persons desirous of investing in the Stock of this Company and becoming interested in its success, will have the privilege of doing so until otherwise ordered by the Directors of said Company.

For particulars apply to
CHARLES C. LANE,
or to General Agent
J. F. GREENMAN,
fe2tc at the office of J. P. Davies & Co.

To Be Sold Cheap.

THE STOCK, fixtures and goodwill of the general store, corner of Yates and Douglas street. The goods will be sold very low in order to close out at once.

THE STORE TO LET.

Apply on the premises to
fe2 1m J. ROSSON.

A Card.

HAVING SOLD OUT the stock in Trade and Goodwill of the Victoria Market, Johnson street, to Mr. Thomas Eastman, I take this opportunity of thanking my friends and the public for the past favors and solicit a continuance of the same for my successor.

JOHN MURRAY.
fe2

COLONIAL HOTEL & RESTAURANT,

GOVERNMENT STREET
VICTORIA, V. I. B. C.

BED ROOMS FURNISHED,

and every attention paid to the Comfort of Travellers.

Board & Lodging by the Day, $2 and Upwards.

Private Dining Rooms

For Ladies and Families.

S. DRIARD, Proprietor.

oc23 3m

SAVE YOUR MONEY

AND

HEALTH,

By Buying Your Candies of

A. W. PIPER,

GOVERNMENT STREET.

THE LIBERAL PATRONAGE OF A generous public has enabled me to still further

Reduce the Price of My Manufactures!

From this date I will Retail Candies at the following Prices:

Sugar Almonds,
Burnt Almonds,
Chocolate Cream,
Chrystallised Gaudies,
Peppermint Lozenges,
Conversation do.
Gum Drops,
Fondants,
Cassias, &c. at 50 cts per lb

PLAIN CANDIES,

Such as Sticks, Drops, Barley Sugar and Acidulated Drops, 37 1-2 cts Per lb. Broken Candies 25cts Per lb.

A Corresponding Reduction at Wholesale.

SUGAR TOYS, all of my own make, at the Lowest Prices.

WEDDING CAKES on hand and made to Order on the Shortest Notice. ja6

TEN-PIN SALOON,

GOVERNMENT STREET.

THIS ESTABLISHMENT HAS BEEN fitted up in the most elegant style, and is now open to the Public. The Bar is supplied with the Best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

A Free Lunch Every Day.

The Ten-Pin Alley

is one of the most complete on the Pacific Coast.

W. LUSH, Proprietor.
oc15 1y

SAWS SHARPENED BY James Goudie

IN A NEW STYLE THAT WILL SAVE half the labor usually expended in cutting wood. Give him a trial. Locks altered, repaired and general repairing done.

FORT STREET OPPOSITE MRS BAILEY'S.
ja17

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the undersigned will please present the same for payment at the store lately occupied by me on Yates street. All persons indebted to me will please call and settle before the 28th inst. All accounts not settled by that date will be placed in the hands of my Solicitor for collection.

LEWIS LEWIS.

TO LET.

The Store adjoining Apply to Lewis Lewis, Victoria, January 11, 1870.

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,

GOVERNMENT STREET,
VICTORIA, V. I.

THIS ESTABLISHMENT IS NOW OPEN for the reception of Guests, and is recommended to the travelling public as a FIRST-CLASS HOTEL.

The rooms have all been refurnished, and particular attention is paid to cleanliness and good order.

APARTMENTS will be let by the Day, Week or Month, at a Great Reduction from former rates, and Travellers are requested to inspect the Hotel before seeking accommodation elsewhere.

J. FRIED,
1y Proprietor.

KWONG SING & Co.,

(Established 1858.)

SACRAMENT RESTAURANT,

WADDINGTON ALLEY,
Victoria, B. C.

Board and Lodging per Week	$6 00
Boarding per Week	5 00
Board and Lodging per Day	1 00
Meals	25
Lodgings per Night	25

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EDWARD WATSON,

WATCHMAKER, JEWELER & ENGRAVER

GOVERNMENT STREET.

CHRONOMETERS & WATCHES

Cleaned, Repaired and Warranted.

Every Description of

Jewelry Made to Order

PLAIN AND ORNAMENTAL ENGRAVING

NEATLY EXECUTED.

oc30 3m

D. Green,

GOVERNMENT STREET,

Three Doors from St. Nicholas.

FASHIONABLE CLOTHING AND GENERAL OUTFITTER.

Has just received

Ex Lady Lampson.

and other late arrivals a large and choice stock of

FALL, WINTER & GOODS

Waterproof Pilot Over Coats,
Beaver Inverness Capes,
Cassimere Suits,
Hats and Caps, &c. &c.

A large assortment of

Furnishing Goods,

Which he offers at a Small Advance on Cost.

oc20 1y

Card.

HAVING SOLD OUT MY STOCK IN Trade to Mr. W. J. Jeffree, I take this opportunity of thanking my friends and the public for the past favors and solicit a continuance of the same for my successor, who I feel satisfied will merit the same.

Victoria, Jan. 11, 1871

I WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM the Public of Victoria and vicinity that I have this day purchased from Mr. Lewis Lewis of Victoria his entire Stock of Custom Made Clothing, Woollens and Furnishing Goods, and intend importing by every steamer, new and Fashionable Goods, such as the market may require, which I intend selling at prices to suit the times.

W. J. JEFFREE.
Victoria, January 11, 1871.

Spring Ridge Water Works Co., (Limited).

NOTICE OF MEETING

THE ANNUAL ORDINARY GENERAL Meeting of the Company will be held at the Office, Government street, on Tuesday February 7th at two o'clock p.m.

By order of the Directors,
W. C. SILVESTER,
Secretary.

Victoria, V. I. January 31st, 1871. fe1

Notice.

THE BUSINESS HERETOFORE CARRIED on by the undersigned at Yale and Barkerville, British Columbia, has been sold to Charles Ogilvie, of Yale, to whom all outstanding accounts in respect of the above mentioned business are to be paid.

C. STRONG.

Victoria, 31st January, 1871. fe1

PORTABLE FORGES.

FOR SALE BY

J. S. DEAS,

Fort Street. fe1 1m

Wanted.

A GIRL FROM 16 TO 18 YEARS OF age to take charge of an infant in a family without children.

Apply at the
fe1 STANDARD OFFICE.

Notice.

MR. THOMAS WILLIAMS IS NO LONGER authorised to contract for any work or collect any monies on my account.

MRS. MARY CAMERON,
Cormorant Street.

Victoria, Jan. 20, 1871. ja20

JOSEPH GOSNELL

DEALER IN

Groceries and Provisions,

Island and Oregon Produce.

CORNER OF DOUGLAS AND CORMORANT STREETS.

☞ GOODS DELIVERED FREE OF CARTAGE. ☜

ja30

Oregon Prime Mess PORK,

20 BARRELS,

For Sale by

ja27 LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.

KDEN WHITE. CHARLES PANDOSY.

ORIENTAL RESTAURANT,

Yates Street,

VICTORIA, B. C.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING become proprietors of the above establishment solicit the support of their friends and the Public generally.

Meals 50 cents each,

or by the Carte.

A First Class French Cook Employed.

☞ Rooms for Private Parties and Families. ☜

fec7 6m WHITE & BOSCOWITZ.

L. Wolf.

IMPORTER OF BOOTS AND Staple Clothing, Hats, &c.,

YATES STREET.

1y

Mrs. Lees,

FASHIONABLE MILLINERY Maker at the Confectionary Store, Fort street, four doors east of Government street.

The Daily Standard

Thursday, February 9, 1871

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Feb 8—Sp Ocean Queen, Dick, San Juan, 4tons Pacific Steamship Co, San Francisco.

CLEARED.

Feb 8—Sp Ocean Queen, Dick, San Juan, 4tons Otter, Lewis, New Westminster.
Sp Sky Queen, Portanent, urrard Inlet,
Sch Emily Harris, Evals, Nanaimo.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer PACIFIC from San Francisco—Mrs C R Selover, Pringle, wife and infant, N Hare, A L Herrs, J Forsyth, wife and 3 children, L Curtis, Mrs T Wright, Mrs Hutchins, O Kritzinger, E Cal-ingridge, T P Flaherty, W F & Co agts, 2 steerage and 43 others.

MARRIED.

At the American Hotel, in this city, Feb 8th, 1871, by Rev. Mr. McGregor, C. Baker, of Lowell, Washington Territory, to Miss Emma Cooney, of East Machias, Maine.

Invoice.—Per steamer Pacific, from San Francisco: 1 waggon, 25 bxs yeast powder, 2 rolls leather, 1 bx findings, 3 cs saddlery, 1 bdle whips, 6 bdls collars, 6 jack screws, 1 pkge trees, 12 cs millinery, 4 bxs stove polish, 2 cs caps, 5 pkgs spades, 1 coil belting, 4 bdls fish, 2 mats shrimps, 2 bxs nuts, 2 cs thread, 1 bx vermicilli, 4 pks rice flour, 2 jars jam, 1 pkge baskets, 3 bxs Chinese medicines, 2 cs garden seeds, 7 pkgs cotton, 3 pkgs iron, 1 box wearing apparel, 2 pkgs cutlery, 15 bskts wine, 1 cs pictures, 1 bdle seeds, 5 pkgs drugs, 1 bx sewing machines, 3 pkgs limes, 20 pkgs manilla rope, 2 rolls leather, 1 cs teeth, 1 bdle pants, 2 cs stationery, 1 cs paper, 1 cs saws, 1 bdle saw teeth, 1 stove, 1 bdle mdse, 129 bxs starch, 15 bdls newspaper, 2 cs drugs, 95 pks express matter, 1 bdle trees, 33 pkgs carriage ma erial, 7 bdls paper, 5 cases personal effects, 10 bxs soap, 1 bbl wine, 3 cs fanning mill, 15 bxs oranges, 1 bx lemons, 2 bdls agricultural implements, 6 iron wheelbarrows, 2 cs stationary, 5 cs cheese, 33 bxs tobacco, 26 cs stoves, 3 cs hardware, 4 cs cigars.

St. Andrew's Church Concert.—We would remind our readers of the St. Andrew's Church concert, which will take place this evening, at 8 o'clock, at the church. The concert promises to be one of the best which has ever taken place in the Colony, and there is no doubt but those who attend will be delighted with their evening's entertainment. The proceeds of the concert will go towards paying off the indebtedness on the Church; therefore, no one will grudge a ticket for such a worthy object, and a few tickets yet remaining unsold, which can be had on application to A. B. Gray, Government street.

Consignees.—Per steamer Pacific, from San Francisco:—A Lewis, C A W, Jesse Cowper, H C, A G & Co, Dalby, Wilson & Co, M D W, Mitchell & Johnson W W, J H Turner, H C Bros, H M, C G, T S & Co, J C, W K L, C Whiting, M & J, T W, C E, F D B, J C, J McKay, G, J Wise, Moore & Co, R Seavin, O Barthrop, J Wilham & Co, R Maynard, C G, L & Co, A S R & Co, Hastings mill Co, G S & Co, R A DeCosmos, L C, G S & Co, H Le vin, Pither Fergus & Co, A Eggers, D & S, G Gunn, R Hurd, G R & Co, H Lehn, W Lehn, J T Haskill, J C V, M & J, R P, R Brotrick, T N Hibben & Co.

Telegraphic Cable.—A telegram from St. John, Newfoundland, states that the repairing steamer Robert Lowe returned to the harbor on Friday evening, having been driven from the vicinity of the interruption in the cable by floating ice. It is said that from this time until May there will be great quantities of field ice, and Captain Kerr, of the Royal Navy, who has been many years on the Newfoundland coast, thinks it will be impossible to repair the cables before spring.—*Toronto Globe*, Jan. 27.

Rich Yreka.—We learn from a passenger who arrived on the Pacific yesterday morning that there is great excitement in San Francisco among the mining population with reference to the Germansen Creek gold mines. A number of miners may be expected here on the next direct steamer. There is great confidence placed in the reports which have come from the mines.

The Late Boat Race on the Tyne.—We are informed that the telegraphic dispatch lately received relating to the race above was incorrect in that Renforth had been beaten by Kelly. Renforth and Kelly pulled against, and beat Taylor and Winship, a pair oared race pulled on the Tyne on the 14th of January last.

Major Foster.—A private letter received yesterday, from England, states that Major Foster, formerly of this city, had been killed in the Franco-Prussian war. Another letter received in town from Mrs. Foster, written in England in the middle of December, states that he had left two months previously for Sierra Leone.

Saddlery.—By an advertisement elsewhere, it will be seen that the firm of Messrs. Dalby & Wilson have received, ex Pacific, a large assortment of saddlery etc. They have also home made trunks, valises, &c., which they offer at low rates. Call and examine the Stock.

Flagstaff.—Messrs J. P. Davies & Co have erected in front of their premises Wharf street a flagstaff 81 feet in height. Their auction flag will now be seen all over the city, this is the first flagstaff which has been erected on Wharf street.

Saskatchewan.—Toronto dates of the 31st Jan. say that advices from Saskatchewan state that over 2,000 Indians and white men died of confluent small-pox. The disease raged frightfully, whole families being carried off.

Bankruptcy Court.—Re Baronovitch a bankrupt, came up for first examination yesterday and was opposed. Further examination was adjourned. Re David Cameron, passed his first examination.

Died in England.—By a private letter from England yesterday, we learn of the death of Mr. Joseph Hilton, formerly of this city, in London about two months after his arrival there.

Our correspondent at the capital states that the British Columbia delegates are now on their way to Ottawa, the terms of union having been accepted by the British Columbia Legislature.—*Toronto Globe, Jan. 26.*

From San Francisco.—The steamer Pacific, Capt Stubbard, arrived yesterday morning at 8 o'clock with 56 passengers and a full freight. She will leave on Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Sailed.—We learn from our San Francisco exchanges that Lieutenants Coghlan and Brodie sailed from that port on the 2nd inst., by the steamship Colorado for Panama.

Dr. Livingston.—Accounts have been received assuring Livingston's safety.

Ship Baccus.—Mr. A. T. Elliott, late of this city, is agent in San Francisco of a vessel advertised to leave for the South African diamond fields, "should inducements offer."

Death.—Mr. Pugel, formerly one of the proprietors of the Oriental Hotel in this city, and at one time proprietor of a hotel in Nanaimo, died in San Francisco on Friday last.

To Ladies.—Mrs. Moss, Fashionable Milliner and Dressmaker, Fort street, has received per Pacific, the latest Fashions direct from England and New York. *

From Nanaimo.—The schooner Black Diamond arrived from Nanaimo yesterday morning, with a cargo of coal for Messrs. Broderick & Co.

Funeral.—The funeral of the late Edward McCaffry took place yesterday afternoon, and was largely attended.

The steamer Hope will leave New Westminster for Yale on the 1st March, or earlier if sufficient freight offers.

For Nanaimo.—The steamer Emily Harris left yesterday for Nanaimo, for a cargo of coal for Frain's Depot.

For Portland.—The N.P.T Co's. steamer California, Capt. Hayes, left yesterday morning at 7 o'clock for Portland.

The steamer Otter, Capt. Lewis, will leave for New Westminster this morning at 7 o'clock.

Fine Weather.—The steamer Pacific experienced very fine weather the entire trip from San Francisco.

Favors.—We are indebted to the Purser of the steamer Pacific, and to Wells, Fargo & Co., for files of late papers.

The mail, per steamer Pacific, will close on Saturday, at 1 o'clock.

Correction

Editor Standard:—Having lived and traded amongst the Indians on the north-west coast of the Island since 1853, and in times of trouble have often been called upon by them and the Executive Government to arrange matters in dispute, and from my own certain knowledge (corroborated this morning by Captain Spring, who is equally well acquainted with the Indians) I assert that there was neither woman or child reached the shore from the wreck of the John Bright, excepting the Captain's wife, who was murdered by the Indian called John.

I am induced to make this statement from an item I read in your paper of yesterday, relative to a white girl having been seen amongst the Indians at Barclay Sound.

THOS. LAUGHTON.

Victoria, Feb. 8th, 1871.

Road Steamer Selfishness.

Editor Standard:—The *Colonist*, in an editorial this morning, intimates that it is "the quintessence of selfishness" to oppose the Road Steamer monopoly; or in other words, to ask for free competition in the traffic on the public roads. Pray, what degree of selfishness is it that asks a monopoly for three years, and a remission of duties during the same period?

A CARRIER.

Victoria, Feb. 8, 1871.

Consistency Thou Art a Jewel.

Editor Standard.—What's the matter with the *Colonist*? For a long time it was a warm advocate for free port, but now it is getting things queerly mixed. It now advocates free importation and monopoly at the same time. If you will throw a little light on the subject, you will oblige

A SUBSCRIBER.

Victoria, Feb. 7, 1871.

Delayed Dispatches.

EUROPE.

Versailles, Feb. 5—The Emperor William will leave Versailles on the 4th and pass through Windon and Magdenburg on his way to the capital.

The whole army of investment will march through the Rue de Triumps, Avenue de La Imperiate, Rue d' Rivali and Ru St Anotn simply for the purpose of passing through Paris.

Berlin, Feb. 6—The Russian *Gros Gazette* confirms the report that all the national questions before the conference have been arranged.

The same paper denies that the Czar has written to Emperor William counselling moderation in dealing with vanquished France.

London, Feb 6—Advices from Versailles of the 6th state that Schere has been nominated for the assembly by the Mobiles and republicans.

Advices from all parts of France indicate that the assembly will contain a majority of Imperialists and Monarchists.

Bordeaux, Feb 5—The demonstration today was unimportant. It consisted of about 700 people headed by Garibaldians. Col Middleton and rest of the crowd were spectators. The Prefect received th deputation, Gambetta being engaged, and read the following declaration: Gambetta, faithful to the programme of r ging war to victory, is now occupied in a council of war diliberating on means of profiting by the armistice.

Versailles, Feb 5—Favre informed Bismarck that he will rescind Gambetta's decrees.

London, Feb 6—Numerous journals in the North denounce Gambetta's decress and urge peace. Rochefort announces a new paper entitled *Mat D'Ordre*. It will advocate regicide.

Brussels, Feb 7—The *Independance Belge* has a letter from Lyons which says that one cause of Bourbaki's failure was an absconding army contractor who ran away with a large sum. Gen Kelly is at Lyons. It is possible he will take command of the Alsace region.

Berne, Feb 4—Sixty-six thousand French are in Switzerland. The men are poorly clad and Switzerland has asked France to send clothing.

Paris, Jan 5—A decree signed by all the ministers here has been promulgated, denouncing Gambetta's decree on electoral disabilities. It maintains the supreme authority of the Paris Government, declares that the elections shall be unrestricted and says that neither the Government of National Defence, the Red Republicans nor the Imperialists have the slightest chance of carrying the elections.

Bordeaux, Jan 7—Members of the Government have arrived here from Paris. They promised to the Prefect last night a decree annulling the Bordeaux decree of the 31st January, relative to electoral disqualifications. As far as is compatible with the principle of universal suffrage, the Paris decree of the 29th is maintained.

Special cable dispatches say advices from Paris state that the Prussians are obstructing the revictualling of the city. Nine trains were detained at Amiens although the line was clear. It is said the Germans are satisfied that France will refuse their terms of peace and consequently seize provisions for their own use.

Palladines and Arago arrived here this morning.

Prefect of Lyons received Lorraines and Alsatians yesterday.

The Prussians have occupied Loutzelsberg.

The authorities at Versailles now allow letters from Paris to be forwarded.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Quesnelle, Jan 7—Sylvester's Omineca Express leaves for Germansen creek to-morrow morning. The following is the list of passengers, all bound for Germansen creek: R. Sylvester, R. R. Clark, J. May, F. Black, G. Fermice, Tom. Wilson, J. Holaway, J. Newton, J. P. Burges, D. Cameron, J. Cahale, J. Chenettie, J. Lewis, 4 Indians and two Indians.

Weather clear and cold. Thermometer—zero.

Dominion Mail Summary.

Hon. Mr. Dunkin has announced to his constituents in Brome that he will be a candidate for the House of Commons at the next election.

The dispute about the use of the organ in Knox Church, Montreal, has been again renewed in connexion with the appointment of a minister for that church. The Rev. Mr. Gordon has given notice that he will move that as long as the organ is retained, no minister shall be appointed.

The projected great boat race next summer, at Halifax, N. S., does not seem likely to take place. So far as the public know, nothing is being done towards making the arrangements.

Agents of the French Government are in Halifax on their way from Prince Edward's Island, where they purchased large quantities of oats to be shipped to Bordeaux in the spring.

The imports of Halifax last year amounted to $8,157,054. The duty collected was $1,096,095.

The Montrealers anticipate the breaking of their water works machinery, and have a water famine in prospect.

The Wesleyan Methodists of the Province of Quebec purpose to raise $20,000 to establish an institute for higher education under the control of their own denomination.

The town of Pembroke has decided to give $50,000 towards the construction of the proposed railway to Kingston, and it is anticipated that the county of Renfrew will give $150,000 in addition.

The visit to the United States of Sir John Rose, of England, and Mr. Ryan, of Canada, is reported in diplomatic circles to relate to the settlement of the fishery question. These gentlemen are not authorized to enter into any arrangement on this subject between the two countries, but it is believed that their object is to feel the public pulse of the United States on this important question. Both Sir John Rose and Mr. Ryan have had frequent consultations with the members of the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the two houses. Of course these have been informal, but the discussion has invariably hinged upon the fishery question. There is no doubt, from the tone of the conversation of these gentlemen, that both Great Britain and Canada are anxious for a speedy adjustment of the question of the fisheries.

Parliament is to be applied to at its next session to extend certain Acts of the late Province of Canada, so as to allow the Provincial Synod of the Anglican Church to admit into reunion with it the Diocesan Synod of Fredericton, N. B. Certain rights of the parishes in that Diocese are, however, reserved.

The railway fever has extended to Prince Edward Islanders, and public meetings have been held to urge the Government to take steps towards the improvement of means of communication by making use of the iron horse.

It is believed that it is the intention of the Government to disband the Red River Volunteers on the 1st of May. Col. Cassault will be reinstalled as Deputy Adjutant-General of this district.

War at Sea.

Havana, Jan. 23.—The following intelligence of hostilities between the French and German war vessels in South American waters, reads:

About the 20th December last an encounter occurred in the Pacific, exact locality not being stated, between the Prussian frigate Medusa and two small French gunboats, the Curieux and Bruiox, resulting in the sinking of both French vessels. The Curieux carried four brass twelve pounders and the Bruiox two twelve pounders, while the Prussian frigate was armed with thirteen guns of heavy calibre.

AN EXPLANATION FOR THE DEFEAT.

Admiral Clove, of the French fleet in the Pacific, in a letter dated December 21, from on board the French frigate Astree, writes to Captain Draw, of the Peruvian navy, in explanation of the affair. The admiral thinks that in view of the relative size of the ships it is not to be wondered at that the French gunboats were beaten and sunk.

SEARCHING FOR THE MEDUSA.

The French frigate Cercel left Montevido in search of the Medusa immediately after receiving the news of the engagement.

Earl Russell's Views.

A special dispatch to the New York *Herald* from London, December 31st, says:

Earl Russell writes to the London *Times* urging on the people and Government of England the necessity which exists for the immediate embodiment of 60,000 militiamen.

The Earl says England has become an object of national animosity. During the progress of the Revolution, when the United States were remonstrated with for not doing more, and asked why measures were not taken to check the building of cruisers to plunder the Spanish and Portuguese traders, the American Government answered that it would not permit any interference from abroad in its domestic policy of measures.

When the American [rebellion] cruisers safely escaped from Birkenhead and when the English Government, copying the American answer and argument just quoted, made about the same reply, they were told that their means of naval repression were designedly inadequate for the faithful discharge of the duty and that those vessels got to sea in consequence, to the great damage of American commerce. Acting in the same spirit, when arms are imported at present to France from England, and in large quantities from America, the Prussians inveigh against England as the enemy of Germany, but treat the Americans as being entirely blameless and as good friends to their country.

These instances show to Englishmen and the world, says Earl Russell, the amount of envy and hostility which has pursued and is now pursuing the wealthy commercial nations, and by reason of which the steps of Great Britian are dogged by foes. Therefore, and for all such reasons, does it behoove England to be prepared to defend her national interests.

The Steamship Scheme.

In the Sacramento *Union* of the 3rd inst. we find the following allusion to the proposed connection of Puget Sound and the Sandwich Islands by ocean steamers:

Senator Ramsey, of Minnesota, has introduced a bill to subsidize a line of steamships from Puget Sound to the Hawaiian Islands. We take this to be part of the Holladay scheme for steamer service to New Zealand and Australia, touching at Honolulu. It would add greatly to the importance of that town and might be the end result in an arrangement to have the China and Japan steamers touch at the same place; the fare charges being the same to Puget Sound as to San Francisco. Either such an arrangement will have to be made, or the influence of the great Northwest, with its Northern Pacific Railway, will strain a point in Congress to secure an independent line of steamships direct from Puget Sound to Japan and China. The force of this influence may be surmised when we consider that the port of Duluth on Lake Superior, is (by water) nearer to New York than Chicago, and nearer by a thousand miles to Japan than Chicago, and that the route of that railway traverses the most fertile uninhabited region of the United Sates, and is contiguous to the best agricultural region of British North America. Such interests are bound to have a hearing in Congress. If the United States don't take care of them, the government of the Dominion will. Puget Sound will have her steamship connection with Asia, either indirectly, by a subsidized line to Honolulu, or directly, by one subsidized equally with the San Francisco line, and the Dominion is as much interested in it as the United States.

A Pioneer Oregon Steamboatman.

We have been shown a letter received by a gentleman in this city from capt. A. S. Murray bearing date "George street, Singleton, New South Wales, Oct. 28, 1870." Capt. Murray will be remembered by many of our readers who have lived in Oregon since 1853. The tough and hardy Scotchman, with spirits buoyant as those of a boy, and of irrepressible elasticity and unconquerable cash, landed in San Francisco in April, 1849, and, after a few years of busy, eventful life in the golden State, came to Oregon in 1853, and embarked in steamboating, then comparatively in its infancy here. With the revered Jamieson brothers, whose untimely deaths in Oregon and British Columbia waters by terrible steamboat disasters so many warm friends have deplored, Capt. Murray engaged in the very profitable business, and he soon amassed a snug fortune. His last steamboating in Oregon was, we believe, in partnership with old Capt. Washington (who died in Baltimore a few years ago), in the little stern-wheeler "Express," which ran between Portland and Oregon City. He returned to Australia, there married, revisited Oregon, and again, in 1862, finally returned to permanently reside in Australia. There he engaged in steamboating. His wife died soon after his return. In a year or two he married again, and now boasts that he is the happy father to three daughters, of whom the eldest is four years and the youngest eighteen days. A series of reverses through several successive years in steamboating finally obliged him to retire from the business, and he is now engaged in merchandising in Singleton, one hundred and ten miles from Sydney, apparently well contented with his lot, and full of the old fire and buoyancy. But we see, from a look of a couple of photographs taken of him, which he enclosed in the letter, one of 1858 and the other of last year, that inexorable old Father Time has pressed his withering hand upon his "pow," and caused him to lose the covering from the top of his head as clean as the Sioux scalper had "lifted his hair" for him. He writes of the years he passed in Oregon, and of the host of friends he made here as if the land and they were yet cherished in the warmest recesses of his heart, and he feelingly refers to the death of Captain Richard Hoyt, and of Captain Couch, each of whom he dearly prized among his best beloved friends. Good old Murray, "a blessing on your pow."—*Portland Bulletin.*

The Prostitution for Shameful Purposes of anything that is this modern, and supposed to be more refined age, that a custom still exists which originated in the Fifteenth Century from an accidental circumstance of Maids and Bachelors amusing themselves on the 14th of February, by drawing lotterywise, a name to be taken seriously or in joke to represent their future wives or husbands. Their custom modernized, exhibits the same tendency, in the form of Valentines. Some chaste in appearance and sentiment, and others grotesque and calculated to please or offend. T. N. Hibben & Co. are prepared for the coming St. Valentine's Day in the modern and most pleasing form. *

Carpets.—Brussels and tapestry carpets of the latest designs, including the Royal Persian with hearth rugs to match. A beautiful and large a sortment of these goods have arrived by the Lady Lampson, and are now ready for sale at the London House, at very low rates. *

☞ Memory presides over the past. Fell's Coffee over the present. The first lives in a rich temple hung with glorious trophies, and lined with tombs, but Fell's Coffee has but one shrine and that is every breakfast table. Its aroma walks the *earth* like a spirit and can be found for sale at every respectable dealers in British Columbia. Beware of spurious imitations. ly *

A Requisite Supplied.—To avoid the necessity, which has heretofore existed, of sending to San Francisco to have finished book binding, Robert Williams has, by steady application and practice in the largest establishments in California, perfected himself in the art of book-binding and ruling, both plain and ornamental, and is supplied with all the necessary material and machinery. Always to be found at T. N. Hibben's & Co. *

Read, Read, Read!—The best photographs are to be had at Shakespeare's Photographic Studio, Government street, Victoria, next door to the Theatre. Step Soon. *

That original cheap and Easy Shaving Shop is Fred Payne's, on the sunny side of Johnson street. 3m*

Never mind what you read, but go and see for yourselves at Green Bros., Fort street. *

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

Communication Between Victoria and Nanaimo, Comox, &c.,

TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE CHIEF Commissioner of Lands and Works, and endorsed "Tender for the Conveyance of Mails to Nanaimo, &c." will be received at this office until noon of the 10th proximo, for the conveyance of Mails by steamer, between the following points, for one year from the 1st of March 1871:—

Between Victoria and Comox twice a month each way.

Between Victoria and Sooke once a month each way, calling when necessary and practicable at the Race Rocks Lighthouse.

Between Victoria and Nanaimo, calling at Harris' Landing, Maple Bay, and Salt Spring Island (inside settlement), once each way weekly. Tenders to state the days and hours of departure and arrival of the various Mails from and at each place. The name and full description of the Steamer by which it is proposed to carry the said Mails; the rate per trip asked for the conveyance thereof, as well as the rates of freight and passage money proposed to be charged, and to give the names of two persons willing to become Security for the due performance of the contract, each in a sum not less than one-sixth of the amount of the contract for the year.

The Government will be disposed to give preference to the Tender of any person who may offer the greatest facilities for the conveyance of the Mails by a seaworthy steamer of suitable capacity and speed, and who may agree to charge the least rates for the conveyance of passengers and produce between the above points, but does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender. Further particulars may be obtained on application at this office.

By Command
JOSEPH WILLIAM TRUTCH.
Lands and Works Office, ja31 3w.

HOW IS THIS FOR HIGH G AND TRY SOME OF THOSE FINE Scarfish Oysters just received at the

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H. R. LEVY,
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J. MOSS, LATE OF THE WILLOWS Cadboro Bay, begs to inform his numerous friends and the Pub lic generally that he has re-opened the new Store, Fort street, lately occupied by H. Weller. He will have constantly on hand the finest assortment of Candies, Confectionery, Fruits, Tobacco, Pipes and Havana Cigars, which he will sell as cheap as anyone on the coast.
N. B.—Fresh arrivals of Fruit by every steamer. da6tf

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☞ Shipping supplied at short notice. ☜
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The scale of charges will be as before, viz:
Board and Lodging per week..... $5 to $6 50
Do do day..... $1
Single Meals..... 37½cts
Beds..... 50cts
The Bar is well supplied with the best Wines, Liquors Ale, Porter and Cigars.
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Notice.
DURING MY TEMPORARY ABSENCE From the Colony, Mr. A. F. KETHER Holds my Power of Attorney. J. W. KETHER.
Victoria, B. C., January 25, 1871 ja26 1m

R. MAYNARD,
Boot and Shoe Store,
Occidental Buildings,
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LEATHER AND FINDINGS OF all kinds for sale on the most favorable terms. 1y

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THIS DAY
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AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.,
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New Concord Buggy,
50 doz. Buckets,
Nos. 1 & 2 Corn Brooms,
Castile & English Soaps,
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Asst. PERFUMED SOAP,
1 Bale ISLAND HOPS.
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EXTRACT FROM AUDITORS REPORT.
Liverpool, 30th July, 1870.

"Every security consisting of Life Policies, Title Deeds, Bonds, Notes, Railway Shares and Government Stock, held therefor, stated in the Balance Sheet has been seen and examined by us."

(Signed),
JOSEPH YOUNGHUSBAND, CHRISTN. ATKINSON } Auditors

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VICTORIA, 2nd Feb. 1871.

SEALED TENDERS FOR THE SUPPLY OF the undermentioned articles for the use of the Gaol from the 1st March to the 31st December, 1871, are to be sent in to the Clerk of Police Court (under cover to the Stipendiary Magistrate) on or before the 20th day of February, instant, after which no tender will be received. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tea per pound	Bread per pound
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A premium of $250 will be paid for that Design and Drawings which may be selected by the Committee and which will be retained as their property. All other plans sent in will be returned under seal to the respective Designers of the same.

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